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SUBJECT: ROTTERDAM HARBOR STRIKE ENDS

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1. EMPLOYERS AND DOCK WORKERS UNIONS REACHED AGREEMENT
IN PRINCIPLE FEBRUARY 25 ON THE 1977 CONTRACT WHICH
BROUGHT ROTTERDAM HARBOR STRIKE TO AN END. DOCK
WORKERS RETURNED TO WORK FEBRUARY 28. AGREEMENT ALLOWS
FOR IMMEDIATE 2.5 PER CENT COST OF LIVING INCREASE AND
1.8 PER CENT BASIC WAGE INCREASE. CONTRACT ALSO CALLS
FOR AUTOMATIC COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENTS THROUGHOUT 1977.

2. DOCK WORKERS ORIGINALLY ASKED FOR 2 PER CENT BASIC
WAGE INCREASE. HOWEVER, LESSER AMOUNT WAS AGREED TO IN
EXCHANGE FOR REDUCING VOLUNTARY RETIREMENT AGE FROM 64
TO 63.

3. HARBOR STRIKE WAS THE MOST SERIOUS SINCE WORLD WAR TWO.
STRIKE STARTED FEBRUARY 7 AND AT ITS PEAK INVOLVED 6.800
OF THE 13.500 DOCK WORKERS.
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